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Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit the accompanying substitute sheet of drawings, consisting of Figs. 13 and 14, to replace the corresponding drawing sheet originally filed with this application. This substitute drawing sheet attends to the point raised in the Notice of Draftspersons' Patent Drawing Review mailed with the Office Action dated November 20, 2002. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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